12.00 Noon

[The Deputy Chairman in the Chair]

STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 6th May, 1992 to unstarred question 889 regarding trials for new drug treatment for leprosy

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARA DEVI SIDDHARATHA): I lay on the Table a statement (in English and Hindi) correcting the reply given in the Rajya Sabha on the 6th May, 1992 to Unstarred Question 889 regarding trials for new drug treatment for leprosy. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2073/93].

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Report and Accounts (1990-91) of the Tea Board Calcutta and related papers

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHEED) : Madam, on behalf of Shri P. Chidambaram I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers :—

(i) Thirty-seventh Annual Report of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1990-91.

(ii) Annual Accounts of the Tea Board, Calcutta, for the year 1990-91 and the Audit Report thereon.

(iii) Review by Government on the working of the above Board.

(iv) Statement giving reasons for the dalay in laying the papers mentoned at (i) ond (ii) above [Placed in Library: *See* No. LT—1959/92].

Notification of the International Airports Authority of India

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI M.O.H. FAROOK) : I lay on the Table, under sub-section (4) of section 37 of the International Airports Authority Act, 1971 a copy (in English and Hindi) of the International Airports Authority of India Notification No. 1(7)/74-BM, dated the 21st February, 1992, publishing the International Airports Authority of India (Lost Property) Amendment Regulations, 1992, together with an Explanatory Memorandum thereon. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2006/92]

I. Reports (year ended the 31st March 1991) of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.

II. Appropriation Accounts (1990-91) of Railways.

III. Block Accounts, Balance sheets and Profit and Loss Accounts (1990-91) of Railways.

IV. Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) and related papers.

V. Notification of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs).

VI. Notification of the UCO Bank, Calcutta.

VII. Notifications of the Syndicate Bank, Manipal.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SHANTARAM POTDUKHE) : Madam, I lay on the Table—

1. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under clause (1) of article 151 of the Constitution :—

(A)(i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991 [No. 6 of 1992—Union Government (Civil)] [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2059/92 for (i) (A)].

(B) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991 [No. 7 of 1992—Union Government—(Posts and Telecommunications)]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2060/92 for (I) (B)].

(C) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991 [No. 8 of 1992—Union Government—Defence Services (Army and Ordnance Factories)]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2064/92 (I) (c)].

(D) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991 [No. 9 of 1992—Union Government—(Defence Services—Air Force and Navy]. [Placed in Library. *See* LT—2061/92 for (IV) (d)].

(II) (A) Appropriation Accounts, Railways, for the year 1990-91, Part-I—Reviewed Appropriation Accounts. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2067/92 for (II) (A)].

(B) Appropriation Accounts, Railways, for the year 1990-91, Part-II—Detailed Appropriation Accounts. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2068/92].

(III) Block Accounts (including Capital Statements comprising the Loan Accounts), Balance Sheets and Profit and Loss Accounts of Railways for the year 1990-91. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2069/92]

(viii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991. [No. 10 of 1992—Union Government—(Railways)]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2062/92].

(ix) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991—[No. 11 of 1992—Union Government—(Other Autonomous Bodies]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2063/92].

(x) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991—[No. 13 of 1992—Union Government—Defence Services—Recruitment and Training of other Ranks]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2065/92].

(xi) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year ended the 31st March, 1991—[No. 14 of 1992—Union Government—Defence Services—Army Base Workshops]. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2066/92].

(IV)A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications :—

(1) G.S.R. No. 409(E), dated the 8th April, 1992. seeking to raise the duty free limit for import of bonafied commercial samples.

(2) G.S.R. No. 410(E), dated the 8th April, 1992, seeking to exclude articles imported by couriers from the purview of Notification No. 136/90-Customs, dated the 20th March 1990

(3) G.S.R. No. 411(E), dated the 8th April, 1992, seeking to prescribe the rate of basic customs duty on goods (with certain exceptions) imported through the courier mode at 105 per cent *ad-valorem*. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—1980/92 for (1) to (3)].

(v) A copy (in English and Hindi of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs) Notification S. O. No. 281(E), dated the 13th April, 1992, publishing the Coinage (Standard Weight and Remedy of the Two Rupees Eleven Sided Coins containing Copper 75 per cent and [Shri Shantaram Podukhe]
Nickel 25 per cent) Rules, 1992, under subsection (3) of section 21 of the Coinage Act, 1906. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—1998/92].

(vi) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the UCO. Bank. Calcutta. Notification No. PER/PCR/91/5122, dated the 18th January, 1992 publishing the UCO Bank (Officers') Service (Amendment) Regulations, 1991, under sub-section (4) of section 19 of the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—1992/92].

(vii) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Syndicate Bank, Manipal, under sub-section (4) of section 19 of the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970.

(i) G.S.R. No. 11(E), dated the 31st December, 1988, publishing the Syndicate Bank Officer Employees' (Discipline and Appeal) (Amendment) Regulations, 1988, together with the statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the Notification. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2007/92].

(ii) Notification No. 1046/S/0090/PD: IRD(O), dated the 11th January, 1992, publishing the Syndicate Bank (Officers') Service (Amendment) Regulations, 1991. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—1992/92].

I. Report and Accounts (1990-91) of the Trade fair Authority of India, New Delhi and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1990-91) of the Export Inspection Council and Export Inspection Agencies, New Delhi and related papers.

SHRI SALMAN KHURSHEED: Madam, I lay on the Table :—

I (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Trade Fair Authority of India, New Delhi, for the year 1990-91, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.

(2) Statement in (English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2001/92 for (i)].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers :—

(i) Annual @ Report and Accounts of the Export Inspection Council and Export Inspection Agencies, New Delhi, (Volume II) for the year 1990-91, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(ii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—2000/92 for (II)].

PRESENTATION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES

SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA (West Bengal): I present the Thirty-eighth Report (in English and Hindi) of the Committee on Government Assurances.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: We have the Calling Attention. It has precedence over everything. But we have a Constitution (Amendment) Bill, which is only a very minor thing. I have just to call the Minister and we have to only change the year number. The Lok Sabha has sent it to us and today they are adjourning. We don't have to take more than five minutes. So, we take the Constitution (Amendment) Bill first.